GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA Office of the Chief Financial Officer

Natwar M. Gandhi Chief Financial Officer



MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Linda W. Cropp

Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia

FROM: Natwar M. Gandhi [signature]

Chief Financial Officer

DATE: March 2, 2004

SUBJECT: Fiscal Impact Statement: "Lease Renewal of 33 N St, NE"

REFERENCE: Draft – No Bill Number

Conclusion

Funds are sufficient in the proposed FY 2004 through FY 2007 budget and financial plan to approve the Lease Renewal of 33 N St, NE.

Background

33 N St, NE has housed the Department of Health's (DOH) Addiction Prevention Recovery Administration (APRA) and the Department of Human Services (DHS) Income Maintenance Administration for 20 years. The District leases the space from Trusts U/W/O Margaret J. Webster, Deceased for five years with a five year option. The proposed lease would retain the existing rental rate of \$1,094,755 for the first year of the lease; by option year nine, the rent would increase 2.5 percent a year to \$1,366,410.

Financial Plan Impact

Funds are sufficient in the proposed FY 2004 through FY 2007 budget and financial plan to approve the Lease Renewal of 33 N St, NE. DOH and DHS have certified funds for payment of the lease during FY 2004.